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January 20, 2023

**VIA ECF**

The Honorable Evelyn Padin  
United States District Judge  
District of New Jersey  
Martin Luther King Building  
& U.S. Courthouse  
50 Walnut Street, Room 4015  
Newark, NJ 07101

Re: *Brian Thompson v. Kilolo Kijakazi, Acting Commissioner of Social Security*  
Civil Action No. 2:22-cv-06011

Dear Judge Padin,

The Acting Commissioner respectfully requests a 30-day extension of time to file her Response to Plaintiff's 9.1 (d)(1) Statement in the above-captioned matter. The Commissioner requires further time to review the agency file and to consider thoroughly the issues raised in Plaintiff's statement.

Plaintiff filed her statement on December 19, 2022. Currently, the Commissioner's response is now due. The Commissioner respectfully requests a 30-day extension so that the deadline for the filing of his response is extended to and including Monday, February 20, 2023. No prior extension has been requested by the Commissioner. Plaintiff's counsel, Steven Gaechter, Esquire, consents to this extension.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully yours,

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By: /s/ Andrew C. Lynch  
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Special Assistant U.S. Attorney

cc: Steven Gaechter, Esquire, *via CM/ECF*

SO ORDERED

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Dated:

s/Evelyn Padin  
Evelyn Padin, U.S.D.J.

Newark, New Jersey \_\_\_\_\_

Date: 1/23/2023

*All deadlines shall be extended 30 days.*